GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5154
ANSWERED ON:20.04.2001
ANTYODAYA SCHEME
KAMBALAPADU E. KRISHNAMURTHY

Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

(a) the allocation of funds made under Antyodaya Scheme to each State;

(b) whether the Government have released any funds under this Scheme so far during this year;

(c) if so, the details thereof;

(d) if not, the reasons therefor;

(e) whether the State Government have utilised part of these funds so far; and

(f) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (SHRI CHAUHAN)

(a) & (b): Funds are not allotted under the Antyodaya Anna Yojana. Foodgrains at highly subsidized rates of Rs. 2 per kg for wheat and Rs. 3 per kg for rice are allotted to the State Governments/ UT Administrations for distribution to the poorestof the poor families @ 25 kg per family per month. A statement showing the number of Antyodaya families to be identified in each State /UT is given at Annexure.
Allocation of foodgrains is made to the States / UTs after completion of task of identification and issue of distinctive ration cards to the beneficiaries by the State Governments/ UT Administrations.

The scheme has been implemented in Himachal Pradesh, Madhya Pradesh, Rajasthan, Andhra Pradesh, Chattisgarh, Kerala, Mizoram and UT of Dadra & Nagar Haveli. Allocation of subsidizedfoodgrains to the above States except Mizoram has been made w.e.f. March, 2001. The allocation to the State of Mizoram has been made with effect from April, 2001.

(c),(d),(e) & (f): Do not arise.

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) & (b) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 5154 FOR ANSWER IN THE LOK SABHA ON 20.04.2001.

STATEMENT INDICATING THE NUMBER OF ANTYODAYA FAMILIES TO BE IDENTIFIED IN EACH STATE/UT.

(in lakhs)

SL.NO.	State/UT	NO. OF ANTYODAYA FAMILIES
1	Andhra Pradesh	6.228
2	Arunachal Pradesh	0.151
3	Assam	2.815
4	Bihar	10.000
5	Chattishgarh	2.874
6	Delhi	0.626
7	Goa	0.073
8	Gujarat	3.250
9	Haryana	1.209
10	Himachal Pradesh	0.787
11	Jammu & Kashmir	1.129
12	Jharkhand	3.665
13	Karnataka	4.797
14	Kerala	2.382

15 Madhya Pradesh 6.324
16 Maharashtra 10.017
17 Manipur 0.255
18 Meghalaya 0.281
19 Mizoram 0.105
20 Nagaland 0.189
21 Orissa 5.055
22 Punjab 0.717
23 Rajasthan 3.726
24 Sikkim 0.067
25 Tamilnadu 7.455
26 Tripura 0.452
27 Uttaranchal 0.763
28 Uttar Pradesh 16.371
29 West Bengal 7.939
30 Andaman & Nicobar 0.043
31 Chandigarh 0.035
32 D&N Haveli 0.028
33 Daman & Diu 0.006
34 Lakshdweep 0.004
35 Pondicherry 0.128

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